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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER IN THE INVESTIGATION OF MAGNESIUM METAL  
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TO: DIRECTORS OF FIELD OPERATIONS  
PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, SPECIAL ENFORCEMENT

RE: ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER IN THE INVESTIGATION OF  
MAGNESIUM METAL FROM THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION  
(A-462-819-OOO/001/002)

1. ON APRIL 15, 2005, THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER AN ANTIDUMPING DUTY  
ORDER (A-821-819) ON MAGNESIUM METAL FROM THE RUSSIAN  
FEDERATION ("RUSSIA") (70 FR 19930).

2. THE PRODUCTS COVERED BY THIS ORDER ARE PRIMARY AND  
SECONDARY PURE AND ALLOY MAGNESIUM METAL, REGARDLESS OF  
CHEMISTRY, RAW MATERIAL SOURCE, FORM, SHAPE, OR SIZE.

MAGNESIUM IS A METAL OR ALLOY CONTAINING BY WEIGHT PRIMARILY THE ELEMENT MAGNESIUM. PRIMARY MAGNESIUM IS PRODUCED BY DECOMPOSING RAW MATERIALS INTO MAGNESIUM METAL. SECONDARY MAGNESIUM IS PRODUCED BY RECYCLING MAGNESIUM-BASED SCRAP INTO MAGNESIUM METAL. THE MAGNESIUM COVERED BY THIS INVESTIGATION INCLUDES BLENDS OF PRIMARY AND SECONDARY MAGNESIUM.

THE SUBJECT MERCHANDISE INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING PURE AND ALLOY MAGNESIUM METAL PRODUCTS MADE FROM PRIMARY AND/OR SECONDARY MAGNESIUM, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, MAGNESIUM CAST INTO INGOTS, SLABS, ROUNDS, BILLETS, AND OTHER SHAPES, AND MAGNESIUM GROUND, CHIPPED, CRUSHED, OR MACHINED INTO RASPIINGS, GRANULES, TURNINGS, CHIPS, POWDER, BRIQUETTES, AND OTHER SHAPES: (1) PRODUCTS THAT CONTAIN AT LEAST 99.95 PERCENT MAGNESIUM, BY WEIGHT (GENERALLY REFERRED TO AS "ULTRA-PURE" MAGNESIUM); (2) PRODUCTS THAT CONTAIN LESS THAN 99.95 PERCENT BUT NOT

LESS THAN 99.8 PERCENT MAGNESIUM, BY WEIGHT (GENERALLY REFERRED TO AS "PURE" MAGNESIUM); AND (3) CHEMICAL COMBINATIONS OF MAGNESIUM AND OTHER MATERIAL(S) IN WHICH THE MAGNESIUM CONTENT IS 50 PERCENT OR GREATER, BUT LESS THAN 99.8 PERCENT, BY WEIGHT, WHETHER OR NOT CONFORMING TO AN "ASTM SPECIFICATION FOR MAGNESIUM ALLOY." A.

A. THE MEANING OF THIS TERM IS THE SAME AS THAT USED BY THE AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR TESTING AND MATERIALS IN ITS ANNUAL BOOK OF ASTM STANDARDS: VOLUME 01.02 ALUMINUM AND MAGNESIUM ALLOYS.

THE SCOPE OF THIS INVESTIGATION EXCLUDES: (1) MAGNESIUM THAT IS IN LIQUID OR MOLTEN FORM; AND (2) MIXTURES CONTAINING 90 PERCENT OR LESS MAGNESIUM IN GRANULAR OR POWDER FORM BY WEIGHT AND ONE OR MORE OF CERTAIN NON-MAGNESIUM GRANULAR MATERIALS TO MAKE MAGNESIUM-BASED REAGENT MIXTURES, INCLUDING LIME, CALCIUM METAL, CALCIUM SILICON, CALCIUM CARBIDE, CALCIUM CARBONATE, CARBON,

SLAG COAGULANTS, FLUORSPAR, NEPHALINE SYENITE, FELDSPAR, ALUMINA (AL<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>), CALCIUM ALUMINATE, SODA ASH, HYDROCARBONS, GRAPHITE, COKE, SILICON, RARE EARTH METALS/MISCHMETAL, CRYOLITE, SILICA/FLY ASH, MAGNESIUM OXIDE, PERICLASE, FERROALLOYS, DOLOMITE LIME, AND COLEMANITE. B.

B. THIS SECOND EXCLUSION FOR MAGNESIUM-BASED REAGENT MIXTURES IS BASED ON THE EXCLUSION FOR REAGENT MIXTURES IN THE 2000-2001 INVESTIGATIONS OF MAGNESIUM FROM CHINA, ISRAEL, AND RUSSIA. SEE FINAL DETERMINATION OF SALES AT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE: PURE MAGNESIUM IN GRANULAR FORM FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, 66 FR 49345 (SEPTEMBER 27, 2001); FINAL DETERMINATION OF SALES AT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE: PURE MAGNESIUM FROM ISRAEL, 66 FR 49349 (SEPTEMBER 27, 2001); FINAL DETERMINATION OF SALES AT NOT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE: PURE MAGNESIUM FROM THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION, 66 FR 49347 (SEPTEMBER 27, 2001). THESE MIXTURES ARE NOT MAGNESIUM ALLOYS, BECAUSE THEY ARE NOT CHEMICALLY COMBINED IN LIQUID FORM AND CAST INTO THE SAME INGOT.

THE MERCHANDISE SUBJECT TO THIS INVESTIGATION IS CLASSIFIABLE UNDER ITEMS 8104.11.00, 8104.19.00, 8104.30.00, AND 8104.90.00 OF THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES ("HTSUS"). ALTHOUGH THE HTSUS ITEMS ARE PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES, THE WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE MERCHANDISE UNDER INVESTIGATION IS DISPOSITIVE.

3. FOR FURTHER REPORTING PURPOSES THIS CASE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED INVESTIGATION NUMBER A-821-819.

FOR U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION (CBP) PURPOSES ONLY THE FOLLOWING IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS SHOULD BE USED: A-462-819.

4. FOR IMPORTS OF MAGNESIUM METAL FROM RUSSIA, CBP SHALL CONTINUE TO SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF SUCH SHIPMENTS ENTERED, OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION ON OR AFTER OCTOBER 4, 2004. EFFECTIVE APRIL 15, 2005, CBP SHALL REQUIRE FOR SUCH ENTRIES THE POSTING OF A CASH DEPOSIT EQUAL TO THE MARGIN SHOWN BELOW:

MANUFACTURER/PRODUCER OR EXPORTER

CUSTOMS ID NUMBER	MARGIN PERCENTAGE RATE
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JSC AVISMA MAGNESIUM-TITANIUM WORKS ("AVISMA"):

AVISMA	A-462-819-001	21.71%
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FOR SOLIKAMSK MAGNESIUM WORKS ("SMW"):

SMW	A-462-819-002	18.65%
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ALL OTHERS	A-462-819-000	21.01%
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5. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CBP OFFICERS, THE IMPORTING PUBLIC OR INTERESTED PARTIES, PLEASE CONTACT DAVINA HASHMI OR RON TRENTAM AT OFFICE OF AD/CVD ENFORCEMENT, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, AT (202) 482-0984 OR (202) 482-3577 RESPECTIVELY (GENERATED BY O6:JGR).

6. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

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## Company Details

\*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party